

COVID-19 Vaccines

mRNA Vaccine Second Dose Information

What happens if I don't get the second dose of COVID-19 vaccine?



• You likely won't be protected against COVID-19. The first dose "primes" the immune system. The second dose creates the lasting protection.

What happens if I don't get second the vaccine on time?

• You need to go get it as soon as possible, even if you're late.

I didn't feel well after the first dose. Will I feel bad after the second?

• Just as with the first dose, it's not uncommon to experience low grade fever, headache or tiredness after you receive the vaccine. These symptoms usually go away after a day or two. The symptoms of COVID-19 are often much worse and can be life-threatening. It's important to get the second dose to protect yourself, your family and your community.

Where can I get the second dose?

• The facility that gave you the first dose should give you your second dose. Contact them or your local health department, or visit www.vaccinefinder.org to find a location near you.

Do I have to get the same vaccine as last time?

• **Yes!** There are currently TWO different vaccines available. You MUST get the same brand you received the first time. If you do not know which one you received, the facility where you received your first dose can help you or you can contact your local health department.



Reminder: Check the vaccine card that was given to you when you received your first dose or check your phone to see if you took a picture of it.



Moderna Vaccine is due

28 days after the first dose.